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This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled:

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This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers:

Newly executed Declaration, ☒ Copy of Declaration from prior application, ☒ Abstract  
pages of specification and claims (including 23 numbered claims), and  
7 sheets of accompanying drawing/s.

☒ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on the following foreign applications:

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
9318984.3	United Kingdom	14 September 1993
9408602.2	United Kingdom	29 April 1994
PCT/GB94/02006	United Kingdom	14 September 1994

, respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application..

☐ Certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) is/are attached.

☒ Certified copy(ies) received by the Patent Office in application Serial No. 08/615,232, (see, attached Notice of Allowability 09/291,038).

☐ This application claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. , filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.

☒ This application is a ☐ continuation/☒ division/☐ continuation-in-part of Application No. 09/291,038, filed April 14, 1999, which is a continuation of Application Serial No. 08/615,232 filed March 14, 1996, which is a divisional of Application Serial No. 08/470,323 filed June 6, 1995, which is a 371 U.S. national phase of PCT/GB94/02006, filed September 14, 1994, the entire contents of each of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.

☐ Petition filed in prior application to extend its life to insure co-pendency.

☒ The prior application is assigned to IMPERIAL COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & MEDICINE.

☒ It is hereby requested that the Examiner consider the art cited in the above parent application(s) by applicant and/or the Examiner for the reasons stated therein. A listing of that art is attached, but pursuant to Rule 98(d) copies are not required.

☒ Please enter the attached and/or below preliminary amendment prior to calculation of filing fee:

☒ Also attached: ☒ Information Disclosure Statement; ☐ Non-Publication Request; ☒ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission; ☐ Statement deleting Inventor(s) named in prior application; ☒ Other: PTO-1449 Form; Copy of Notice of Allowability from Serial No. 09/291,038 Request; Paper Copy of Sequence Listing; Submission of Drawings; (7) Sheets of Drawings

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